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20 lbs Granulated Sugar \$1.00. Endicott Johnson Work Shoes at your price, \$10.00 Suits \$5.39, \$12.50 Suits \$6.89, \$15.00 Suits \$7.68. Groceries at an extra low price. Every thing will be remarked down, extra bargains will prevail throughout the store until May 31st. Don't fail to come. Ladies \$2.00 Skirts, now, 69c, 12 1-2c gingham 8c, Ladies, and mens 5c handkerchiefs 2c, 10c can goods 8c, extra special bargains all the week.

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This sale is being conducted by W. F. Byram & Co., of Charlotte, N. C. and the goods must be sold. On account of our advertising matter being delayed, and not being distributed to all of our customers. We have decided to continue this sale throughout the week up to Saturday night May 31st as same is the demand of each and every one of our friends and Customers. Don't forget that the whole entire stock must be sold regardless of cost. Everybody is following the Byram way.

\$12,000 STOCK OF DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, SHOES, CLOTHING

Farming Tools, etc. must be sold by Saturday Night, May 31st regardless of cost or price. You make the price we wrap up the goods. BYRAM DON'T CARE!

This big Stock of first-class, up-to-date dry goods groceries, shoes, etc., has been bought for about 42 cents on the dollar, and the whole entire stock must be closed out regardless of cost. We are in a position to cut the price to fit the pocket book of all. Don't fail to come and look, it don't cost you anything to look, this is absolutely one of the greatest slaughtering cut price, gigantic bankrupt sales that Western North Carolina has ever been able to witness, don't stay at home and wonder why as these tremendous bargains may pass you by. How to find the place. You will find big bankrupt sale down at the Southern Depot, ten blocks down, each block saves you money, buy four articles for the price of one. Follow the Byram Way.

T. B. CARSON'S BIG STORE

AT THE DEPOT

HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.

SIMMONS WINS OUT.

Motion of Senator Simmons to Refer Tariff Bill is Passed Without a Real Call.

Washington, D. C., May 16.—Democratic leaders in the Senate were endorsed late today in their determination to refer the Underwood tariff bill to the Finance committee for consideration without public hearings. The Penrose-La Follette amendment directing that public hearings be held was defeated by a vote of 41 to 36 and the motion of Senator Simmons to refer the bill was then passed without a roll-call.

Two Democrats, Senators Ransdell and Thornton, of Louisiana, voted for the Republican amendment. Senator Poindexter, of Washington, Progressive, voted with the majority. Senator Jones, of Washington, Republican, who previously had determined to vote against public hearings, announced that he had changed his mind.

The closing day of debate on the issue of hearings was enlivened with discussion of the Democratic platform and its bearing on free sugar by Senator James, of Kentucky, who vigorously defended the stand taken by President Wilson for free sugar, declared that the party had stood for free sugar and campaigned on it, and defied the Louisiana Senators to find a man President Wilson ever had told he was opposed to free sugar.

Sensors Smoot, La Follette and Clark wound up the debate on behalf of the public hearing amendment. Senator Smoot predicting that the Democratic party would be put out of power for another quarter of a century as a result of its tariff bill. "The edict has gone forth," said Senator Clark. "The real vote on this tariff bill will be taken here as in the House, where it was taken in secret caucus. I know there are Democrats here who do not believe the bill is just and righteous altogether, who are willing to bow the head to the demand of office and ease the lash of party expediency."

Senator Newlands, of Nevada, spoke briefly on the sugar schedule, protesting against sacrificing the sugar production of this country to Cuba.

The finance committee will meet next week to hear reports from the sub-committees engaged in consideration of various schedules of the bill, and Chairman Simmons hopes to report the bill to the Senate by June 1.

Great interest was manifested in the final contest over the hearings question, the galleries being crowded with spectators.

Senator James, accredited with speaking for President Wilson and the administration, interpreted to Baltimore platform in his speech as committing the President and the Democratic party to free sugar. His remarks were in reply to declarations by Senator Ransdell and Senator-elect Broussard, of Louisiana, that it did not.

Baltimore Platform.

Senator James declared the platform adopted at the Baltimore convention approved the course of the Democratic House in the last session of Congress and that it included approvals of the Underwood free sugar bill. He read a paragraph from the Democratic campaign text book approving "the excellent record of the House" in placing sugar on the free list.

Senator Ransdell asked if President Wilson had not declared in a speech at Pittsburgh that he did not stand for free trade.

Senator James replied that the President was not a free trader, and that the proposed bill calculated to raise \$300,000,000 in revenue was not a free trade bill.

"Free Trader."

"If you say President Wilson is a free trader because he favors free sugar," demanded Senator James, "did you call yourself a free trader when you voted for free bread and free shoes?"

"By 'legitimate industry' in the platform," said the Kentucky Senator, "is meant industrially legitimate and commercially legitimate industry. It does not refer to an industry which had 125 years of government aid and protection and is yet unable to take care of itself."

If Taft Had—

"If William H. Taft had had half the courage of Woodrow Wilson, he would have vetoed the Payne-Aldrich bill and bonfires would have been burned on every hillside in his honor, and, in my opinion, he would have been re-elected."

"President Wilson says he is in favor of free sugar and free wool and wants no compromises. At Pittsburgh he merely said he did not want to destroy any legitimate industry. I challenge you to find anybody to whom Woodrow Wilson ever said he was not in favor of free sugar."

Smoot and Smith Clash.

Senator Smoot and Senator Smith, of Georgia, clashed when the Utah senator called on his colleagues to compare the bill as it now appears and when it comes from the Finance committee.

"I have no doubt," he said, "that the cotton schedule will be changed. I have no doubt that some interests will be taken care of. Why cotton any more than wool, any more than sugar?"

"Does the senator mean that the rate on cotton is to be changed, because people in my State are interested in it?" demanded Senator Smith.

"Does the senator say that he has not promised that the cotton rate shall be changed?" retorted Senator Smoot.

"I have promised nobody nothing. Not a suggestion has come to me for a raise on the cotton rate from Georgia, but suggestions have come from New England for raises."

Senator Smoot declared that England, Germany, France and every other foreign country was rejoicing over the Underwood bill.

"I have collections of articles from all over the world," he added, "showing how every foreign manufacturer is preparing to enter the American market. It means for every dollar's worth imported American labor will be reduced."

La Follette's Position.

Senator La Follette favored open hearings, he said, because it was of the greatest importance that the widest publicity be given tariff subjects.

"I believe all legislative business is public business," said Mr. La Follette. "I think even the doors of the caucus of the two great political parties or of all political parties should stand open."

Chairman Simmons announced that if the Senate decided against open hearings the questions submitted by him to be asked manufacturers would be sent out to all parties who had filed briefs or appeared before the Democrats of the Finance committee. Answers to the questions would be asked, he said.

I have purchased my old stock at great reduction and will be glad to have my friends call and see the bargains I am offering. I will start a big sale May 16 to May 26 to turn this big stock into cash. T. B. Carson.—adv.

Wheeler & Wilson, and Singer Sewing machines for sale or rent. A. O. Jones, opposite court house.

For All Western North Carolina.

There are plenty of indications that the Western North Carolina Fair is to be conducted on very much broader lines this year than heretofore; and that the fair will be more representative of the whole of Western North Carolina. The management is going about the work of laying the groundwork for the Fair with a great deal of attention to detail, but this detail work has not blinded the management to the greater issues. After all, however, it is the successful working out of the details that rounds out the whole, and no matter how comprehensive the plans for the Fair may be, it is really the details which make the Fair. The men who have oversight of the plans and those who are working out the details have begun working early and with an energy and judgment that promises to make the fair creditable to the rich section of which it is an exponent.

Here is the "Confession of Faith" of D. Harris, secretary and treasurer of the association.

Western North Carolina for some time past has received more appreciative consideration, year by year, by the residents of less favored sections. Those seeking restoration of health have found here that greatest blessing of life; the seekers of pleasure and recreation have found the most satisfying entertainment, diversion and recuperation; the student of nature has found scenic grandeur unsurpassed, and the investor has recognized the enormous wealth vested in the forest, minerals and other natural resources. The bounteous endowment by nature, however, is not confined to the wondrous climate and scenic conditions and natural resources, but includes a marked degree of the adaptability of soil for the production of various products of unexcelled quality.

Until recent years, the exploitation of this phase of development has been retarded by reason of conditions which resulted in quite primitive methods being employed. Of recent years, however, much improved methods have been gradually adopted and it was this tendency and the desire to promote more rapid advancement and prosperity which inspired the organization of the Western North Carolina Fair association.

While a majority of the stockholders of the association are residents of Asheville, they are primarily citizens of Western North Carolina, identified

with and interested in the development of the entire section. Their subscriptions to stock in the association were not considered as investments on which direct revenue would be produced, but as a medium for the promotion of the development and prosperity of this section which would accrue to the betterment of our citizenship collectively as well as individually.

We desire this year to secure to a much greater extent than has been possible heretofore the support and co-operation of the citizens throughout western North Carolina in making it what the name implies, a western North Carolina Fair. In attempting to do this, we shall not in any way conflict with or detract from any county fair, but instead shall seek to earnestly co-operate with the several county fair associations with the hope of rendering service which will increase their success. With the co-operation that the movement should receive each county which undertakes to hold a fair would meet with unprecedented success; the Western North Carolina fair to be held in Asheville would be of proportions and splendor which would appeal to the pride of every Western North Carolina, and exhibits could be sent to the state fair at Raleigh which would receive recognition of incalculable benefit. Western North Carolina has numerous products which cannot be excelled and by placing them in competition with the world we may feel assured of favorable comparison, and the publicity attached to such exhibition when done in an intelligent manner would attract many desirable investors and stimulate a greater degree of advancement and prosperity.

With the object we have in view we feel entitled to, and confidently rely on receiving, the earnest co-operation of the public spirited citizens of every community in Western North Carolina.

Mr. Harris is enabled to voice these sentiments in full faith. The history of that magnificent development, the Greater Western North Carolina association, shows the possibilities of securing unity of action in this section, and the results which follow such action. As a greater Western North Carolina is being surely credited by united, organized action in telling the world of our advantages and beauties, so its development will be enhanced by competitive exhibits of the prod-

ucts of all the fields and orchards, gardens, mines, forests, shops, artisans and schools.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a deed in trust executed to R. H. Staton, trustee, by Jno. G. P. Livingston, on the 28th day of March 1911, to secure the payment to T. R. DeShields, of the indebtedness in said deed in trust named and default having been made in the payment of the said indebtedness, and having been called upon by the said DeShields to do so, I will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the court house in Hendersonville at 12 o'clock, noon, on the 21st day of June, 1913, the lands contained in said deed in trust which are described as follows:

Lying in the town of Hendersonville beginning on a stake on the west margin of Main Street just 50 feet north of Anderson Avenue W. F. Dotson's corner, thence South 77 feet with Dotson's line and parallel with Anderson Avenue 297 feet, to with church street 879 1-2 feet to W. H. Ray's line, thence north 77 East with Ray's line 297 feet to Main street; thence South 13 East with Main street 98; 1-2 feet to the Main street that lot conveyed to Jno. G. P. Livingston by Geo. H. P. Cole by deed recorded in Book No. 40 page 334 records of deed for Henderson county, North Carolina.

The deed in trust under which this sale will be made is recorded in book 31 page 72 of the records for deeds in trust for Henderson county, and said sale will be made for the purpose of satisfying the amount remaining unpaid of the indebtedness secured by said deed in trust, together with all costs, interest, and expenses.

This May 21, 1913. R. H. STATON, Trustee.

FOR SALE—300 bushels mountain grown "Lookout Mountain Irish potatoes" for fall planting. These potatoes, if planted between June 15th and the 1st of August will make finer and better potatoes than those planted in the Spring. Prices \$1.25 f.o.b. Saluda, N. C., in lots of 10 bushels, or under. Larger lots proportionately less. C. P. Sanders, Spartanburg, S. C. 5-15-1tp

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